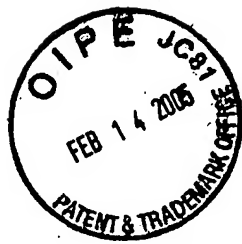


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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated November 12, 2004, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application, as follows.